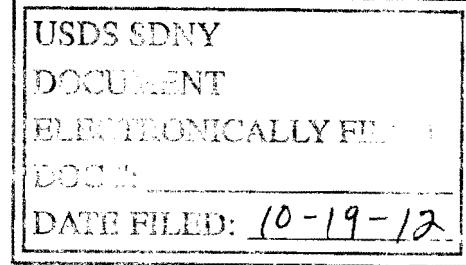


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October 19, 2012

VIA FAX (212) 805-7949

Honorable P. Kevin Castel
United States District Judge
United States Courthouse
500 Pearl Street
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RE: **United States v. Mohamed Ibrahim Ahmed,
10 Cr. 131 (PKC)**

Dear Judge Castel:

MEMO ENDORSED

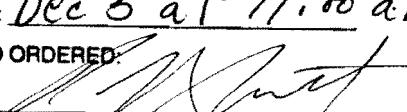
On behalf of the defense, I respectfully write to request a thirty-day adjournment of the sentencing hearing, which currently is scheduled for November 2, 2012. This request is being made so that defense counsel can have an adequate opportunity to review the presentence report with Mr. Ahmed, to prepare our sentencing submission and consult with Mr. Ahmed, and to prepare for the sentencing hearing. The defense has not made any previous request to adjourn the sentencing proceeding. The defense request for an adjournment has been conveyed to the government; AUSA Benjamin Naftalis has stated that the government has no objection to the defense request.

Respectfully submitted,



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SO ORDERED:

P. KEVIN CASTEL, U.S.D.J.
Date: 10-19-12